

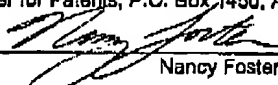
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In re Application of:

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Application No.: 09/276,233

Filed: March 25, 1999

For: METHODS AND APPARATUS
FOR PERSISTENT CONTROL
AND PROTECTION OF CONTENT

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Communication mailed March 15, 2006, the period for response being extended via the Petition for Extension of Time and authorization to charge our deposit account filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below and consider the following remarks. This paper is fully responsive to the previous Office Action in this application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.